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5. An oil-in-water (O/W) microemulsion composition, comprising:
- (a) at least one emulsifier (emulsifier A) present in concentrations of 0.01 – 20% by weight based on the total weight of the composition, selected from the group consisting of ceteareth-12, ceteareth-15, ceteareth-20, glyceryl stearate, glyceryl isostearate, stearic acid, isoceteth-20, sorbitan monoisostearate and mixtures thereof,
 - (b) optionally, substances which are soluble or dispersible in the oil phase or the water phase, and
 - (c) an effective amount of one or more insect repellents.

Please cancel claim 6.

Please substitute claims 7 and 8 with amended claims 7 and 8:

7. The O/W microemulsion composition of claim 1, wherein the emulsifier A or emulsifiers A is or are present in concentrations of 0.05 - 10% by weight, based on the total weight of the composition.
8. The O/W microemulsion composition of claim 7, wherein the emulsifier A or emulsifiers A is or are present in concentrations of 0.1 - 5% by weight, based on the total weight of the composition.

Please substitute claims 10 and 11 with amended claims 10 and 11:

10. The O/W microemulsion composition of claim 5, wherein the total amount of one or more insect repellents is chosen from the range 0.1 – 15.0% by weight, based on the total weight of the composition.
11. The O/W microemulsion composition of claim 5, wherein the total amount of one or more insect repellents is chosen from the range 0.5 – 8.0% by weight, based on the total weight of the composition.

Please cancel claims 14 and 15.

Please substitute claims 16 and 17 with amended claims 16 and 17 below:

16. The O/W microemulsion composition of claim 1 wherein the at least one emulsifier (Emulsifier A) is selected from the group consisting of ceteareth-12, glyceryl isostearate, sorbitan monoisostearate and mixtures thereof.
17. The O/W microemulsion composition of claim 1 wherein the at least one emulsifier (Emulsifier A) is selected from the group consisting of isoceteth-20, ceteareth-20 and mixtures thereof.